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existing uses		ORV	to protect ORV?	Tools/Options	protect the
		Example: Defacing rock	Example: Wilderness, NCA,	Examples: WSR, ACEC,	ORV
		art, over grazing, trash	ESA, Grazing Restrictions,	SRMA, etc.	Examples: By
		and/or destructive	Camping Restrictions, etc.		County or
		behavior, etc.			Landowners
Rose Creek	Scenic Quality	People being	In BLM's Visual Resource	Signage (BLM avoids in	Colorado Water
ORV: Scenic	Classification of A.	destructive:	Management inventory, rated	Wilderness).	Conservation
	Prominent vertical and	Big Dominguez	an "A" for quality, making it	DIM "Coopie" classification	Board already
<u>Uses:</u>	horizontal cliffs,	most defaced by	an ORV.	BLM "Scenic" classification on Dominguez Segment 2	filed for In-
grazing	interesting erosional	bullets and	Features are common in	instead of "Wild" reflects	stream Flow
	features major rock	vandalism.	Dolores area – Class "A"	more evidence of human	Rights.
	outcroppings	Gets dirtier inside	based on quality, not	activity there.	
Dominguez	Red slick-rock	wilderness areas.	rareness.	delivity there.	Additional
ORV: Scenic	canyons. Experience	Erosion.	For management purposes,	"Wild & Scenic"	cameras (have
	of outstanding desert		scenic resource was assigned a	designation wouldn't	been stolen
<u>Uses:</u>	stream in primitive,	Wildfires – no way to	"class 1," which allows the	change management	elsewhere).
diversion	wild environment.	fight them in	least modification of the	options much.	User groups can
(BD-s2)	Stream features and	wilderness.	scenery. "Class 1" status was	Could do an "Area of	educate.
water right	waterfalls.	Soils have withstood	based on:	Critical Environmental	caacate.
(LD)	Visual contrast is	100 years of grazing;	scenic quality	Concern"(ACEC).	Trail adoption
, ,	key.	now people are	importance	00	(Western CO
grazing	Dominguez 2 is	degrading them.	distance (people can see)	Could re-route trails to	Congress
hiking	notably less scenic (more human	J	Sign in countary on bridge	minimize damage (have to	adopted Big
hunting	impact).	Wild & Scenic	Sign-in, counters on bridge.	assess impact on	Dominguez)
hunting	πηρατιή.	designation would		wilderness experience)	_ ,
hang gliding		worsen problems by			
camping		advertising the area.		More enforcement (have a	
				dedicated officer already).	
road (BD-s2;		Historic users have less			
LD-s2)		impact than more			
dinosaur digs		recent recreational			
		users.			

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Dominguez	600 million years of			If it's not "Wild & Scenic,"	
ORV:	geologic history +			how could that impact the	
Geological	sandstone formations			geology?	
	= large gap in rock				
	ages.				
	Companyon of the				
	Exposure of pre-				
	cambrian rock/				
	geologic non-				
	conformity is common				
	on the Uncompahgre Plateau but not in				
	broader area of				
	comparison.				
Dominguez	High quality rock art	Same threats as those	Publicizing some sites to draw	Invite site stewards.	
ORV: Cultural	from 2,000 yrs – 100	identified for "Scenic"	attention & protect others.	minice site stewards.	
Oitt. Cartarar	yrs ago.	ORV – mainly over-use	attention a protect others.	Accurate & proper	
	7.0 480.	and vandalism.		recording.	
	Connection to water is	aa. ranaanan			
	why the sites exist.	People.		More enforcement.	
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	Some water is	Fire.			
	necessary for context/				
	atmosphere, but not	Publicity.			
	quantifiable.				
		Human oils.			